

ARKANSAS MOTOR CARRIER ACT

- (15) **"Commercial zone"** means any municipality within this state together with that area outside the corporate limits of any municipality which is prescribed by the Interstate Commerce Commission as a commercial zone;
- (16) **"Regular route"** means a fixed, specific, and determined course to be traveled by a motor carrier's vehicles rendering service to, from, or between various points, localities, or municipalities in this state;
- (17) **"Irregular route"** means that the route to be used by a motor carrier is not restricted to any specific highways within the area the motor carrier is authorized to serve;
- (18) **"Lease"** means, as used in connection with the term "motor vehicle", the rental of a motor vehicle by a lessor to a lessee, except to an authorized carrier, with nothing furnished except necessary maintenance.
- (b) The **"services"** and **"transportation"** to which this subchapter applies includes all vehicles operated by, for, or in the interest of any motor carrier irrespective of ownership or of contract, express or implied, together with all facilities and property operated or controlled by any such carrier and used in the transportation of passengers or property or in the performance of any service in connection therewith.

23-13-204. Applicability of subchapter.

The provisions of this subchapter, except as specifically limited in this subchapter, shall apply to the transportation of passengers or property by motor carriers over public highways of this state and the procurement of, and provisions of, facilities for such transportation.

23-13-205. Interstate commerce unaffected by subchapter.

Nothing in this subchapter shall be construed to interfere with the exercise by agencies of the Government of the United States of its power of regulation of interstate commerce.

**Commercial Zone Formula
Intrastate Authority**

Population of Base Municipality	Mileage (measured from municipal limits)	
	Old	New
Less than 2,500	2 miles	3 miles
2,500 – 24,999	3 miles	4 miles
25,000 – 99,000	4 miles	6 miles
100,000 – 199,000	5 miles	8 miles
200,000 – 499,999	5 miles	10 miles
500,000 – 999,999	5 miles	15 miles
1 million and up	5 miles	20 miles